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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Ryoji KAWAMURA et al.) Group Art Unit: 3728
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Application No.: 09/986,998) Examiner: S. Luong
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For: SMALL ARTICLE CASE)

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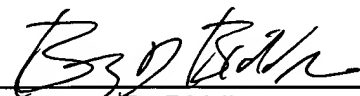
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